October 29,1923.

Mr. Wayland F. Smith,
1028 Overton Street,
City.

Dear Wayland:

Thank you! Those songs don't need any musical instrument at all - not even a Jew's Harp! Just get them in your head, open your mouth, and out they roll!

I shall expect a solo from you at the next "Noise!"

The subscriptions are going fine and in less than two weeks nearly half the first edition has already been subscribed. So I feel encouraged to believe that I shall be able to bring out a series of these books.

Speaking of "Noises", I don't know when - but I'm beginning to be sorter lonesome for one.

With love and all good wishes,

Always your Friend,

CFL/R